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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	
REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED 10/20/05	Atty. Docket No. CROSS1490
Applicant: Stephen G. Dale	
Application Number 10/064,080	Filed 06/10/2002
For System and Method for Inquiry Caching	
Group Art Unit 2155	Examiner Hamza, Faruk
Confirmation No. 7094	

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

<p align="center">Certification Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8</p> <p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313 on November 16, 2005.</p> <p align="center"><i>Julie H. Blackard</i> Julie H. Blackard</p>
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The Examiner states that restriction is required under 35 U.S.C. § 121 to one of the following inventions:

- Group I: Claims 1-19 and 22, drawn to a Computer Network Managing, Classified in class 709, subclass 223; or
- Group II: Claims 20-21, drawn to a Multiple Network Interconnecting, Classified in class 709, subclass 249.

Applicant elects to prosecute Claims 1-19 and 22 of Group I with traverse. The traversal is based on an examination of all the claims not being a burden upon the Office.

Applicant does not believe any fees are due and owing. If any fees are required, or if any amounts have been overpaid, please appropriately charge or credit those fees to Deposit Account No. 50-3183 of Sprinkle IP Law Group.

Respectfully submitted,

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